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TO RUWVLA/PA EMBASSY KABUL IMMEDIATE 4751  
INFO RUWVOM/PA EMBASSY ISLAMABAD #673  
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E.O. 11652: XGDS  
TAGS: PINS, AF  
SUBJECT: DEALING WITH DOWD RECIPE

REF: KABUL 5220 AND 5222

1. FULLY ENDORSE YOUR HANDLING OF RESPONSE TO BRIEFING AND REQUEST FOR RECOGNITION BY ACTING DEPTFORIN KABUL. ASSURE ALL OFFICERS HAVE FAMILIARIZED THEMSELVES AGAIN WITH THE APPLICABLE REGULATIONS, AS SET FORTH IN 11 FAM 113.7 (1-9), KEY ELEMENT OF WHICH IS:

"THAT NO AFFIRMATIVE ACT IMPLYING A CONTINUITY OF RELATIONS SHOULD BE UNDERTAKEN WITHOUT PRIOR APPROVAL OF DEPARTMENT."

2. DEPT WILL AWAIT YOUR FURTHER ASSESSMENT AND RECOMMENDATIONS BEFORE ADDRESSING RECOGNITION QUESTION.

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